

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD**

**WEST CENTRAL JOINT EMERGENCY
TELEPHONE SYSTEM BOARD (ETSB)
Employer**

and

Case 25-WH-201770

**ILLINOIS FRATERNAL ORDER OF
POLICE LABOR COUNCIL
Petitioner**

**CERTIFICATION OF REPRESENTATIVE AS BONA FIDE
UNDER SECTION 7(B) OF THE FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT OF 1938**

On July 3, 2017, Illinois Fraternal Order of Police Labor Council (the Petitioner) filed with the Regional Director for Region 25 of the National Labor Relations Board a request for certification of representative as bona fide under Section 7(b) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (FLSA), 29 U.S.C. § 207(b).

On July 14, 2017, the Regional Director for Region 25 served on the parties a Notice to Show Cause why the Board should not grant the request. No response was filed. As the Region's investigation revealed that the Petitioner is the recognized exclusive collective-bargaining representative of the unit employees,¹ the Regional Director recommended to the Board that the requested certification be issued.

No party having shown cause why the requested certification should not be issued, the National Labor Relations Board certifies that Illinois Fraternal Order of Police Labor Council is a bona fide representative, for purposes of Section 7(b) of the FLSA, of

¹ The record indicates that the Employer is a public sector employer, and includes a copy of the Illinois Labor Relations Board's Certification of Representative issued January 18, 2017, naming the Petitioner as the exclusive representative of the unit employees.

the employees of West Central Joint Emergency Telephone System Board (ETSB) in the following unit:²

INCLUDED: All full-time employees of West Central Joint Dispatch in the following titles: Telecommunicator I; CTO/Telecommunicator II.

EXCLUDED: All other employees of West Central Joint Dispatch.

Dated, Washington, D.C., October 30, 2017

By direction of the Board:

Roxanne Rothschild

Deputy Executive Secretary

² A certificate of representative as bona fide for purposes of the FLSA does not necessarily establish the right of the organization so certified to be recognized as the exclusive bargaining representative of employees within a particular bargaining unit under the provisions of the National Labor Relations Act. See *County of Alameda*, 322 NLRB 614 (1996).